

## **SUMMARY STATEMENT**

*Slavens v. Slavens,*  
No. 43743

The Idaho Supreme Court vacated the Bonneville County district court's declaratory judgment as to the parties' rights in Twin G Holdings, LLC. After concluding that the district court had jurisdiction over the case, the Court held that the district court abused its discretion by admitting certain evidence. Specifically, the Court concluded that the Deadman's Statute, Idaho Code section 9-202(3), barred the affidavit of Johnny Slavens because the affidavit contained testimony of alleged oral agreements with Jim Slavens, who is deceased. Accordingly, the Court vacated the district court's declaratory judgment and remanded the case for further proceedings.